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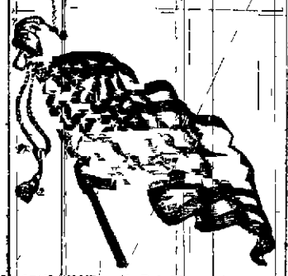

No flag but the Old Flag—the Red White and Blue
With the stars of a Union unbroken and true
Attend and defend it! ye Sons of the brave,
Whose blood bought the banner your valor must save.

SATURDAY MORNING JAN 30, 1864

REMOVAL.

The Office of the DAILY and WEEKLY OREGONIAN has been removed to Carter's new brick block corner of Front and Washington streets, up stairs Entrance on Washington street, first door from Front

UNION STATE CONVENTION.

The Union voters of the various Counties of the State of Oregon who are in favor of the continued and vigorous prosecution of the present war to the complete and final suppression of rebellion and extinction of treason and in favor of hearty and effectual support of the authorities of the General Government in their efforts to protect and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States and preserve and perpetuate the Union, and who are willing to nominate for the election of men of like principles to all offices in this State, are respectfully and earnestly invited to hold convention according to usual custom, for election of delegates to a State Union Convention to be held at Albany in Linn county, on Wednesday the 30th day of March 1864 for the purpose of nominating and dates for Representative to Congress and State Printer electing delegates to the National Union Convention and providing for the selection of candidates for Presidential Electors and transacting such other business as the Convention shall deem proper.

We respectfully recommend the holding of County Conventions on the 15th day of March, 1864.

We also respectfully recommend the holding of Conventions of Delegates from the various districts at the time and place of holding the State convention, for the nomination of candidates for Supreme Judges and Prosecuting Attorneys in the several districts where vacancies shall exist

The several counties will be entitled to delegates in the State Convention as follows

Benton	5	Clackamas	9
Clatsop	11	Columbia	4
Coos	1	Curry	1
Douglas	8
Jackson	10	Josephine	5
Lane	8	Linn	12
Marion	12
Multnomah	5	Polk	8
Tillamook	1	Wasco	10
Washington	6	Umatilla	7
Baker	1
Yamhill	6		

By order of the Union State Central Committee

JOHN MCCRAKEN Chairman.
A. G. HOVEY, Secretary

Salem, January 6th, 1864.

Afraid to do Right.

The California Senate did not promptly pass the patriotic resolutions we quoted a few mornings ago. The San Francisco *Morning Call* says

There are some tender footed individuals in the Senate who do not like Cambell's patriotic resolutions which passed the Assembly yesterday They do not, they say, object to the sentiment and spirit of the resolutions, but they think there is too much language in them in other words they are too explicit, because they leave no room for dodging so common with those who wish to keep their sails ready for any wind that may blow, murmur against them they must, however, show their hands now The man who fails to come up to the spirit and letter of these resolutions, will be a dead cock in the political pit before twelve months pass over his timid head A year hence the resolutions will be considered tame, comparatively speaking, now they are not an inch, so to speak, in advance of the sentiment of the people, but are rather behind In the Senate, the resolutions were referred to the Committee on Federal Relations, and no attempt will be made to amend them so as to take out the sting How successful it will be remains to be seen If are amended so as to in any particular weaken their specific force, the Assembly will not concur in the amendments They were not referred to any Committee in the House, and did not occupy the attention of the Assembly over twenty minutes."

The Marysville *Appeal's* correspondent writes upon the same subject:

Some are afraid to say they are in favor of Old Abe's plan to reconstruct States by letting only loyal men do the voting and office holding to that end. Others object that the resolutions are two wordy. One of the amendments (?) strikes out the word 'Copperhead,' for fear of hurting the feelings of some conservative chap A few don't care to praise the President or Secretary Chase separately from "the Government" Perhaps one or two don't like the resolutions because *they* didn't write them, Altogether it looks to a man up a tree as if some of the Union Senators had a little dough sticking in their political crops They are as squeamish about being black as any "Constitutional Democrat" need be Such behavior over such a simple matter is not creditable, and it is certainly not what the loyal voters of California like to see. *They* [illegible] are true, hearty, fresh, and [illegible] the author or the particular part, would like to see them pass and go over the Government in its arduous task of [illegible] regenerating the Republic. Better too many words, too loosely connected if you will, than so much backing and delay

It seems to be the misfortune of the Union party on this coast that some of its would be leaders are so very cautious that they are afraid to speak the whole truth We confess that we cannot understand or approve such a policy It is always safe to do right, if one vote is gained by concealing the truth, ten are lost through want of confidence in those who lack courage or principle to assume a just responsibility In Oregon, we hope, there will be none of this bewildering and deceptive course. We can afford to take high and manly ground. We ought to speak out boldly for the Government, for the Administration and for freedom, and we hope that the people in sending delegates to the convention, will take care that their representatives are true, fearless and thorough in their devotion to liberty and the Union.

MORE BITTER THAN THEIR MASTERS —Some of the Northern Rebels who justify treason and abuse the Government and its officers might learn a lesson from their Southern allies We have papers in this State which are full of sneers at Secretary Chase and his financial skill But the Richmond *Examiner*, with much fairness and regard for truth, says it regards "the slow depreciation of the Federal currency as one of the most remarkable phenomena of this extraordinary war;" and adds: "But it is not to be denied that the Federal Secretary of the Treasury has conducted the finances of his Government with consummate ability" We commend these expressions to the attention of those who show their zeal in behalf of the rebellion, by slandering officers of the Government, to whom even the Richmond papers give the credit of wisdom and ability

THE ANNUAL ELECTION of officers for the California Stage Company has held at Marysville, on the 15th The following gentlemen were elected: James Haworth, President, F S Stevens, Vice President, A G Richardson, General Superintendent, H A Charles, Secretary James Haworth, F S Stephens, A G Richardson, W Montgomery, John Andrews, Directors

DESPERADOES AT WORK —The *Argus* expresses it fear that an attempt is to be made in California to use the Union party as a machine for the benefit of "a clique of political conspirators, ALL OF CERTAIN POLITICAL ANTECEDENTS" and says that—

"Whatever be the speculation that is thus in progress it is now just in its embryo It is impossible to tell but we know that it foreboders no good to the strength or consistency of the party. This little wheel is intended to revolve within the large wheel of the party It is the slate upon which all the nominees for preferment are to be written, whether Presidents of the next Congressional district or for the successor of Senator Norval—and defeat put down the sealer. The little wheel will make imminent the State Conventions are only to go through the motions of endorsing the acts of the central power

We firmly believe that the Union party in this State will live not until the war is over, but long after the war ceases and the Union shall have been restored But the sowing of the seeds of disruption and discord by the inaugurators and managers of a party peculiar to the Democratic element of this State after it has ceased to exist, will be a source of constant vexation and doubts as to its longevity It party even if be the Union can maintain its ascendency in this State after it has come to an end It is therefore important upon the present Legislature to see that no encouragement be given to the creation of any faction or clique within the party It is the will of the Union voters of the State that there self-appointed guardians of Union party attend to the legitimate duties of the day and let Senator making alone It is well for the party that this clique be nipped in the bud The men engaged in it are well known, and it is time to withdraw confidence which its actions and The disguises and from them is at sacrament to the hands of Washington"

We have quoted these remarks because we believe them to be truthful and quite a pertinent in Oregon as where they were written There is reason to think that a state similar to that above described, is fixed up in part for the Union party here, and that the State Convention is expected "only to go through the motions of endorsing the acts of the central power" We hope the prevailing impression upon the subject is erroneous and that no such a scheme has been found or will be put in operation, for its effect will be, beyond a doubt, the disruption and defeat of the Union party The people are weary of that sort of political strategy, and think, as we have reason to believe, that men who cannot be trusted on their own merits and ability do not deserve votes, because a nomination has been secured by a bargain, or through the manipulations of a clique Open and fair dealing is better for all who are interested, and is the only sure way to win success

DEMOCRATIC HUMBUG —Another obscure meeting of rebel sympathizers up the valley has advertised its weakness and its wickedness by publishing a resolution, "that the Democratic party is the only power which can restore the country" What consummate impudence! "The Democratic" was the party whose leaders and chief men plotted to ruin the nation, and are now actually laboring to accomplish their infernal purpose It was the party in the ascendancy in every rebel State when it seceded, it was the party which in the North furnished the sympathizers with the rebellion, and the cowardly traitors, who, while protected by the Government are doing their utmost to destroy the institutions of freedom, these are the men who pretend that their base and degenerate party is the only power which can restore the Union! Shame on them forever and forever! If there is any distinction between them and the Southern rebels who fight boldly for their cause, no one can doubt that the last, bad as they are, are infinitely more honorable than their contemptible Northern allies. They show their colors, and stand by them with their lives and fortunes, but Northern Democrats try to cover up their disloyalty and treason under fraudulent professions that they are the only party whose policy can restore the Union The base lie ought to overwhelm them with eternal infamy

HARDEST TO PLEASE —From present appearances, it looks as if it would be much more difficult to reconcile Northern Democrats to the suppression of the rebellion and the destruction of slavery, which is sure to follow, than it will be to bring the rebels themselves to good temper and quiet submission By degrees, leading men in the South are giving up their opposition to the Government, and accepting the terms allowed to them, but as fast as the prospect of national success brightens, treasonable Democrats among us seem to grow more desperate, malignant, gloomy and ferocious. They want the war stopped and slavery restored more than the South, they say every missing slave must be paid for, or sought out and returned to his master, they claim for the rebellion a support and sympathy which its leaders and contrivers never pretend to ask. Such demagogues and haters of the Government and of freedom are far worse enemies than the foe in the open field they deserve a traitor's punishment and shame, quite as much as any Confederate chief or subject.

UNION GENERALS KILLED OR DIED, DURING THE WAR —The following is believed to be a correct list of the Union Generals who have died, or been killed in battle, since the war commenced

KILLED

Pennsylvania —Generals Vincent Reno Bohlen Jackson and Reynolds Patterson (accidentally)
New Jersey—Generals Hazard Kearney and Taylor.
New York—Generals Kirby, Weed and Zook
Connecticut—Generals Lyon and Mansfield.
Rhode Island—General Rodman
Maine—General Berry
Massachusetts—Generals Whipple and Sprng
Virginia—Gen Terrell
Ohio—Generals McCook Sill and Lytle
Indiana—General Hackleman
Michigan—Generals Richardson and Williams
Illinois—Generals Wallace Farnsworth and Kirk
Kentucky—Gen Nelson, (by Gen Davis) and General Jackson
Washington Territory—Gen Steven.

DIED

Maine—General Jameson
Maryland—General Cooper.
Massachusetts—Gens Lander and Plummer.
Pennsylvania—Gens Smith Kiem and Welch
New York—Gens Sumner, Mitchell and Benker

CONVERTED —Richard S Fay, says the Boston *Transcript* who is one of the most determined Hunkers in Massachusetts on leaving his home for Europe, wrote as follows

The slavery question out of which grew this rebellion is fast being set bed by events As I have frequently and before I repeat now my fixed determination as far as the slave is concerned, I would not raise my hand to free them all to-morrow, if it interfered with the constitutional rights of any individual in the Union but if on the other hand, slavery becomes incompatible with our National existence, I am quite willing to see the slave go free as one of the consequences and as a punishment for the authors of his master I am glad to see the free African fighting in this cause for it seems to me but the natural consequence of a war brought on by the slaveholder The first gun fired upon Fort Sumter I always regarded as a knell of slavery, whatever the other consequences might be Even if disunion triumphs the slave question is settled.

Napoleon's Policy

The Cincinnati *Gazette* has the following interesting letter from its London correspondent

Napoleon III—eg matesson of Hortense the De ch Admiral Verbuel according to veracious history by Bonaparte her own stepfather accord ing to [illegible] of ready to be rowing glory even of a mot e [illegible] never lost sight of the Napoleonic id as they are called If you will turn to the [illegible] entitled Napoleonic Ideas publ d in 1839 you will find that the scheme of a Latin empire in Mexico is therein explained and also a scheme of a league of crowned [illegible] something like that proposed in the Emperor's late proposition for a Congress! The Emperor has written It is not alone the ashes of Napoleon but his ideas that we should bring back to France

If *Punch* had in dust its soul with Douglas Jerrold, or if *Charivari* dared say what it thought, neither have had this week a cartoon something like this Louis Napoleon in the costume of a Quaker counseling peace with one foot on the neck of Mexico the other on that of Cochin China one hand grasping the throat of Rome and the other that of Sivoy *He* talking of peace—the inaugurator of European militarism,—who to-day is known almost the nation as treating with their corpse [illegible] the [illegible] of Europe! A statesman in Europe believes that he means anything in [illegible] Congress then to get some work his own people in the Polish question He advances a proposition which he knows will not be adopted and which he does not wish should be but it requires a writer for many nations during which Russia may lay [illegible] Europe to Poland, which shakes its gory locks [illegible] France To help Poland he must withdraw from Mexico and China and no one believes that he will give up a position of [illegible] one of his very But France is not willing to abandon Poland and abandon that unhappy country is dangerous to the cause There is no doubt that Napoleon is aware that he showed when he threatened Mr Dayton that no change in the government of Mexico was contemplated when, as it is now known the Austrian Archduke was notified that the crown was to be offered him That he is a coward there is no room to doubt When he was making his coup d'etat in France history says his heart failed him and that he wished to recede from his enterprise when one of the imperialists in council kicked his feet and placed a pistol at his head telling him that if he withdrew one step he would be shot dead This he was forced to go on with the nefarious project which succeeded only because of the utter corruption of the French people Just now, when his Legislature opened he found a pistol at his head again—one held in the grasp of his own nation You abandon the cadre of Poland at your peril they said What to do then? He could not tell the truth I am committed in Mexico that I am not strong enough to fight Russia" So he sneaks out of it by talking of a Congress The trick was very clear It may do many but Lincoln is too old a bird to be caught by such chaff He is too practical a man, he informs the Emperor that England is no [illegible] the habit of going into Congresses of whole [illegible] and authorities she is entirely ignorant and consequently requests to know just what European questions are to be proposed for discussion or adjustment in the proposed Congress of Crowned Now if I mistake not, France will find her reply to this move on the board a very difficult one Next to the Polish question, the most serious ones in Europe are those which implicate Napoleon A large majority of European Sovereigns would vote this armed press ence in Rome Savoy Nice and Cochin China to be usurpation Has advanced upon Mexico merely a betrayal of Spain and England and went upon a theory which Europe could never sanction without danger, though Europe cares little who rules in Mexico Now, all know that Napoleon would not put one of these questions to any Congress whatever Now, then is he to reply to England's shrewd inquiry Will he enumerate all the questions fatal to his neighbors and omit all mention of his own? Hardly He will be very humble will declare as meekly as Uriah Heep, that he is too [illegible] to dare propose any programme for such an exalted personage as he invites to Paris, and will be very complacent when he finds what he, perhaps anticipated—that there are too many crowned [illegible] Europe for them to allow a general searching of all loyal pockets His proposition is likely to fall by its own consent of England, Austria and Prussia, and Napoleon will always be able to lay the burthen of whatever may occur upon their shoulders.

At a dinner company the other evening at which I was present, a gentleman present, an admirer of Napoleon, told the following story concerning him Miles in his days of poverty the Emperor was in London he stood sometime at the lodging house of a poor widow When he departed he told this lady that he had no money at all with which to pay his board there, that he had only a five franc piece ($1 00) He would give her this but one day he expected to be powerful and rich and if when that time came, she would bring or send him that five-franc piece he would remember his debt and repay it When, some years after this, a woman heard that poor lodger had become the President of the French Assembly she went to Versailles, and was refused admission several times At last she sat down near the palace gate Presently she saw a magnificent coach driving up to the gate She rushed into the middle of the road and stood with arms extended, so that the driver couldn't pass her

Forced to stop, the Emperor looked out of the window and saw the woman, spoke to him and, finding who she was, took her to the palace and accommodated her there until she was ready to return to England with a handsome compensation.

A distinguished gentleman present, sometime member of Parliament, and one who had spent much time in America, put in with the following "I don't know that it is much to his credit It would not have been a pretty story to have flying in the papers through the world but the French President, (then hoping to be Emperor,) had cheated an honest landlady of London of just debts nor even that he had sent her home with the bare amount of her claim Now no one tell you what I learned in America from a party who gave me evidence of the truth of his story Napoleon among other adventures, got into a brawl in a disreputable house in New York the parties were all put on trial and it was only by the skill of a certain lawyer, that Louis Napoleon got off from the charge against him He then told the lawyer that he was unable at that time to pay him any fee, but hoped to be able to do so in the future After some years, when Louis Napoleon became Emperor, the lawyer sent him a bill for the services he had rendered He received no reply Again he sent, but with no success After having sent three times thus, he drew up an account of the brawl and Napoleon's part in it, and sent it to Paris as the document which he would print in the New York papers unless his fee was paid After the arrival of the next return mail from Europe the lawyer received a request from the French Minister at Washington that a certain claim against the Emperor of France should be forwarded to him for settlement

These stories are characteristic enough There is no man who can do a generous thing with more celat when he is forced to do it than Napoleon The only thing he ever did for freedom was to help Cavour against Austria and this he did simply as he paid the lawyer his fee—he couldn't help it. He has refused the prayer of Poland again and again and yet he may have to help that country as the alternative of losing his crown Then we shall see if the end of Napoleon's quantity for freedom [illegible] when he crushes liberty, he does it in the same manner which drew forth a eulogy from Senator Sumner Mr Kinglake hit the nail on the head when he said that if Napoleon were given up and time to deliberate he could imitate very nearly the style of a man of honor.

Meanwhile it will be safe for them America to go upon the theory that the "crowned pickpocket" as Carlyle calls him is the most malignant foe of freedom in the world at present, that he is envious of America that he strikes without a warning rattle, and that he will bear as much watching as we can spare from Jeff Davis to give him. Indeed the two are in temperament and their movements on our continent are of their baseness and intent. An alliance between them would be as natural as between a hook and eye

There can be no doubt that our danger so far as England is concerned is past The Confederate sympathizers here are shrieking bitterly They dare call no public meeting to advance their projects while at simply an evening paper appears without some large outcrying of the masses in favor of America Another up for the Confederacy was in process of preparation at Glasgow last week our friends there advised the movement of the fact and Earl Russell replied that the Government already had its eye on the ship

There is no doubt that the apathetic attitude of England towards Poland gives deep satisfaction to many leading men and a large number of people The Tories can scarcely survive this [illegible] of no less mean power comes to their aid What many think very forcibly [illegible] sh wn on the subject in extract of a letter from John Ruskin This distinguished author was recently invited to give a lecture before the School of Art connected with the Liverpool Me-

chanics Institute In his reply he declines on a count of [illegible] address a free audience of England on her foreign and domestic [illegible] gard be political position taken for rather expressed by England in her [illegible] affairs of Italy and Poland His letter concludes thus "Like we are all in most peculiar [illegible] all that I would not spend twenty million a year in dealing machines for the [illegible] many hundred men's pocket money in preventing [illegible] but I will have the courage to go to war in a base [illegible] and which is perhaps [illegible] rather in another's quarrel than in her own We say of other countries complacently, that we will not go to war for an idea but the phrase interpreted means only that we will go to war for a bale of goods but not for justice or for mercy and I would ask you to favor me so far as to read this letter to the students at your meeting and say to them that I heartily wish them well but for the present I am too sad to be of any service to them that our wars in China and Japan are not likely to furnish good subjects for historical painters that ideas happen unfortunately in art to be the principal things and that a country which will not fight for its ideas is not likely to have anything worth painting

GENERAL WRIGHT —The *Cattle's* Sacramento correspondent writes

Loyal people hereabouts are gratified at the telegraphic announcement that the Department of the Pacific to have a new Commander There is no doubt of General Wright's personal loyalty to the Government and country but there is a strong impression apparently well founded that he is controlled altogether too much by Secession influences So long as such an impression exists it is folly to keep him in command

The California Legislature has undertaken to investigate the complaints against Gen Wright—a resolution having passed for the appointment of a Committee for that purpose

M Winchester who introduced it said

It was a matter of public notoriety that certain official gentlemen had recently been granted to certain disloyal persons in this State, that certain persons had received official station who were known to be open enemies of this Government. It was an ungrateful task to refer to these matters but he was impelled to it by a sense of love to his constituency and to the loyal people of the State He had no passion nor prejudice in the matter having no friends who had been defeated or who were applicants for position and had no other motive in offering the resolution than a sense of duty What were the facts? There was a paper published in the State call d the Marysville *Express* which paper had published a treasonable speech of C L Vallandigham with laudatory headings and comments and which had on all occasions evinced unmistakably its treasonable tendencies and yet the subscription of the paper in spite of the present gigantic rebellion, had been secured as the medium for the publication of the official orders and acts of officers of this Government. It was said that this was simply a mistake an inadvertence perhaps of some poor soldier or clerk who in the hurry of the moment had misdirected the document on account of the similarity between the names *Appeal* and *Express*. He could accept that explanation if it had happened that the publication appeared in but one treasonable paper but he found that a paper in Oregon known to be one of the most violent secession papers on his coast, edited by the "Arkansas Traveler" had also been favored with this official advertising, although the *Sentinel*, a good Union paper in principle at the same place. Why is this so? Are there here by authority? Echo answered Why? He held that any authority which would allow the public money of the nation to go for the support of such papers as these was unworthy of the confidence of the loyal people of this country For one he was not willing to allow such an act to pass unnoticed Again persons had been appointed to subordinate offices in this State who were open armed Secessionists without any reservation whatever and these appointments had been made without the consent or concurrence of legislative delegations It was true the official station they received was not of great importance, yet these men went forth clothed with official sanction Men elevated to offices of responsibility and trust by the Union men of the State had appointed persons under them who were not only disloyal, but whose vices aside from that should exclude them even from the social circle. It was for these reason that he introduced this resolution in order that the sentiment of the people of this State might be expressed upon this matter. It was easy for these men to say they had been imposed upon, but men holding high offices of trust here or elsewhere had no right to be imposed upon He knew that he should be charged with faction, and proscription of men for opinion's sake, yet he should not swerve from his duty for any personal consideration He had been a political Pariah and outcast for years on account of the entertainment of unpopular political sentiments Yet he had relied upon the force of reason and argument, and waited for those sentiments to gain a foothold in the public mind as they had done But the case was different then from what it was now, when they were in the midst of a gigantic civil war, which had drenched this land in blood Sentiments which might then be uttered with impunity were now rank treason It was said that he should not stir up strife and create dissension He did not desire to do so; he was not blood thirsty and did not want civil war But he was determined, though far removed from the horrors of civil war, to discharge as fully as possible his duty to his country in this hour of his country's peril. He owed that duty not only to his constituents but to those noble men far down in the land of rebellion who had suffered every species of indignity and persecution for their unyielding loyalty to the stars and stripes, "the banner of beauty and glory." He owed it to them to see that men who sympathize with their persecutors were not petted and rewarded here. He owed it to the brave soldiers who were bleeding on the battle field to-day, and to the widows and orphans of those who had laid down their lives for their country which these men would gladly aid to destroy. The man who took arms in his hands and stood up in the ranks of treason, they knew where to find but the man who staid here, protected by the law of the country, and sought to prevent enlistments and to bring into disrepute the currency of the country, was ten times more the traitor He believed it to be the duty of this Legislature to enter its protest against any more mistakes or impositions of this character In conclusion he said his attention had been called to something in the newspapers in regard to the gentleman who had been appointed Secretary of the Supreme Court It had been supposed that this resolution was aimed at him, but he would state that men whom he had known long and well in the city had testified to that gentleman's undoubted loyalty and that he had been efficient and untiring in his efforts to encourage those who are seeking to put down rebellion

GOT THE START OF HIS MASTER.—An army correspondent in Tennessee, referring to the desire of many slaveholders, that their chattles should enlist so that the master may get the bounty, tells this story

A well to do farmer of this vicinity whose loyalty hangs on a pivot came into town hunting his man Hiram "to put him in the service. Now it so happened that the aforesaid Hiram took a little wiser than some of the other sons of Cuban took it into his head to hoe his own row, and having heard that the Yankees were very clever fellows came over to Of attainment as I have himself to his office! But the farmer after some difficulty, found his man, and the following dialogue took place,

Farmer— Well Hiram I am glad to see you.
Hiram— Glad to see you too massa
Farmer— Hiram you love your country, don't you?
Hiram— Yes massa, and don't you?
Farmer— Hiram I want you to enlist.
Hiram— Done massa I'll list if you will
Farmer— Well but ahem! you know I have lost well by you Hiram
Hiram— Yes, massa, and I've done well by you too
Farmer— But Hiram if we bring me three hundred dollars I'll you enlist
Hiram— Dat so? Well I believe I could use dat pretty much my self massa
Farmer— Well Hiram you will go home with me and I'll
Hiram— Ho ho Can't see it massa Dese banks do very well and I guess I'll stay

That document was an end of the matter The farmer knew better than to have his loyalty test for he offered getting back his slaves who in fact was not worth five cents except to use for bounty

Why is our grand army like a game of checkers? Because it is a game of *chickamauga black draft*s.

By Overland Telegraph.

LATER FROM THE EAST.

Dates to January 20th

From the Jacksonville Sentinel of January 23d

FORTRESS MONROE Jan 17th—The Richmond *Sentinel* says [illegible] blockade troops on Sunday, Jan. 3d at Wilmington City North Carolina [illegible] Whenever it is strong times on the coast this winter A Confederate quartermaster is blockade runner to the amount of half a million dollars

PHILADELPHIA Jan 20—In a letter to Secretary Seward Minister Adams says the United States do not and must insist, that the British Government is responsible for damages which have been done by the [illegible] of the United States except by the [illegible] Alabama—built, equipped and fitted out in British waters The Secretary cannot therefore instruct Mr Adams to refrain from bringing claim before the British [illegible]

CONGRESS Jan 20—The Senate Committee on Territories to-day reported a bill for the admission of Nevada into the Union

Senator Powell of Kentucky introduced a bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors to soldiers

The Secretary of the Interior has appointed Robert F Stockton Superintendent of the Mint at San Francisco

NEW YORK Jan 20—The Mail from New Orleans with dates to the 12th has been received at Havana to the 16th The weather was fine Three days by general Banks to carry [illegible] the block ading steamer *Isaac* [illegible] arrived at Havana The latter was [illegible] by the gunboat *Hetzel* The [illegible] at Havana to the effect that the steamer *Hatteras* was captured without loss and safely [illegible]

LEAVENWORTH Jan 19th—Reports of Curtis was publicly welcomed by the citizens yesterday

Over ten thousand dollar worth of property was destroyed and many lives lost by the late weather on Platte river The Government [illegible] are still detained

CINCINNATI Jan 20—The ice broke up yesterday morning and nearly [illegible] the steamboat *Telegraph* and a large number of coal barges lying at the mouth of the river. Loss $50,000

THE CRISIS OF THE MINING SPECULATING MANIA —There can be no doubt, says the San Francisco *Call* from a glance at the notices of sale advertised in the papers, that the crisis is desired by [illegible] mining stock is upon us Assessments are flowing over us—they are crushing everybody, and many are living their last days by reason of them Rather than attempt to keep pace with the rapid accumulation of assessments [illegible] there seen result of the sensational mania which for a year past has pervaded all classes of people to become possessed of extensive interests in a large number of mines, instead of confining themselves to a moderate interest in one or two mines, the prospect of which has been approved to their judgment by a careful examination or reliable information How many men in this city, with an income which would justify a speculative expenditure of over fifteen or twenty dollars per month, have dedicated themselves and their families to efforts, and even necessaries, in order to pay assessments on stock in different mines, amounting to nearly their whole revenue"

THE TELEGRAPH LINE COMPLETED TO JACKSONVILLE —Long expected [illegible] connection between this place and Yreka has at length been made On Thursday last the wagon arrived in town bearing out the wire, which was rapidly stretched on the staunch poles by workmen under the management of Superintendent Watt esq, and by evening the wire was attached to the battery in the office, located in the reception room of the U S Hotel On yesterday morning we received the first dispatch sent over the wires to this place, which we publish in this paper.—*Jacksonville Sentinel*, Jan 23d

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AN ACCIDENT occurred [illegible] ferry boat, foot of Stark [illegible] terminus, which reminded [illegible] keep up their luck [illegible] hour, as reported The *P*[illegible] up for repairs

UNION COUNTY COMMITTEE [illegible] Gentlemen constitute this c[illegible] committment of the County Co[illegible] April, 1862 H Fasting C[illegible] Dufur S J McCormick, C[illegible]

THE SENATOR arrived at [illegible] Yesterday, with twenty-[illegible] tons freight from Oregon C[illegible] twenty three passengers and [illegible] in the morning

DECLINES —Rev C S B[illegible] now at Bannock City de[illegible] position of Editor of the Fro[illegible] in which he was elected at the [illegible] Conference

THE EXCELSIOR —It is [illegible] Fair *Play* will leave her wh[illegible] Alder street at 3 o'clock, on t[illegible] Oregon City

THE INFANT PRODIGY has [illegible] and is to appear at [illegible] evening—one of the performe[illegible] pieces

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THE STEAMSHIP OREGON will be due to-morrow, as she left on the 27th for this city, direct. She will probably be full of passengers, among whom will be several of our own citizens, who have been sojourning in San Francisco for some weeks; it is also reported that among them there will be a bridal party, who will be warmly welcomed by a large circle of admiring friends. A crowd of miners are also expected, who will be the advance wave of the rushing tide, that is to pour upon us this spring. Let them come on—we can stand it, and feel better all the time, while we hope that every new comer will be satisfied to become a citizen and a future.

WHO WON'T TAKE THE BET.—A question came up yesterday, at a place on Front street, where their sometimes sell horse-flesh at auction, upon the age of a horse—whose merit the bearer was quite free in extolling. After a somewhat critical examination of the animal's teeth, the dealer offered to make a bet, that the horse was *fifteen* years old. The owner demurred, but finally wanted to know how they would decide the matter, in case the bet was made. "Oh," said the dealer, rallying up, "I'm willing to leave it to *any two of old horses!*" whereupon the owner peremptorily declined taking the bet, and rode off in the direction of home.

CHARLES BARRY, Esq., General Agent of the California and Columbia River Railroad, is in our city, for the purpose of collecting funds for publishing the maps and report of the survey made by Mr. S. G. Elliott, Chief Engineer. We hope that those who feel an interest in the success of the project will assist in contributing the comparatively small sum necessary for bringing it before the public. Mr. Barry is at the Western Hotel, and will be glad to give any information concerning the work, to our citizens.

WHAT A CHANGE!—Here we are again in the midst of another snow storm. Since noon yesterday the earth has been gradually assuming a spotless mantle of white, reviving the visions of fast drives, warm furs, and crystal pleasures, which were so recently sported on a winter's day in Portland. How long this prospect will last we are unable to tell, having missed the mark every time in our calculations on the weather, we might fail again, so we take no risk as it comes, and suppose of course everything will do the same.

LIKELY TO CLOSE.—Mr. West, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Messenger from the Dalles, informs us that when the *Idaho* left yesterday morning the river was quite cold, with strong northern winds, and when at the Cascades considerable snow was falling. No treasure was brought down, of any consequence. The *Nez Perce* will not leave Celilo Thursday morning for Walluski unless the weather moderates it was likely there would be another freeze up.

THE ENROLLMENT.—Mr. Johnson informs us that the enrollment is nearly finished, in the City, and that by next week he will be able to make his returns to the Provost Marshal. Mr. Johnson has been very successful in the work, and has met with many amusing and laughable incidents, during the time he has been engaged as enrolling officer.

COLD WEATHER.—Capt. Aukeny has shown us a meteorological table, kept at Gro Fino from the 7th to the 10th inst., from which it appears that the thermometer ranged from 4° below zero to 5° below. It touched the lowest point at 8 o'clock in the morning of the 8th. Rather severe weather, that, for tender feet.

BUSY DAY WITH THE SHERIFF.—Yesterday was the last day Sheriff Ladd had to serve papers for the next term of the Circuit Court, which is to meet on Monday, the 8th of February. There is considerable litigation going on, if we are permitted to judge from the last three days' work of the Sheriff.

THE HAZE did a light business yesterday, in the way of passengers and freight, and made her round in "double quick." She don't have such easy times long, however, if reports from California are true. We hear a hard rush is expected from there the coming season on the way to our upper country.

AN ACCIDENT occurred to the mule-power ferry boat, foot of Stark street, yesterday afternoon, which reminded us that they don't "keep up their lick" every quarter of an hour, as reported. The *Ferry* has been laid up for repairs.

UNION COUNTY COMMITTEE.—The following gentlemen constitute this committee, by appointment of the County Convention, held in April, 1862: H. Failing, C. H. Lewis, A. J. Tolby, S. J. McCormick, C. S. Silver.

THE SENATOR arrived at Astoria o'clock P. M., yesterday, with twenty passengers and 107 tons freight, from Oregon City. She took up twenty-three passengers and 25 tons freight, this morning.

DECLINES.—Rev. C. S. Kingsley, who is now in Bannock City, declines to take the position of Editor of the *Advocate*, in this city, to which he was elected at the last Methodist Conference.

THE EXCURSION.—It is understood that the *Fair Play* will leave her wharf at the foot of Alder street, at 8 o'clock, on the excursion to Oregon City.

THE INFANT PRODIGY has arrived in Portland, and is to appear at the Theatre this evening—one of the performances in "Kelly's Varieties."

FOR LEWISTON.—The fast sailing schooner *Rapid* will leave Celilo for Lewiston, on the 5th of February. Hefron & Pitts, are her agents, at the Dalles.

OREGON CITY WOOLEN FACTORY.—We are glad to learn that arrangements have at length been made between Mr. Harvey, and the representatives of the proposed Company, for the purchase of a suitable site for a Woolen Factory in Oregon City, with water power sufficient to run ten sets of machinery. The Company will commence operations at once, and it is hoped that before the year is called the music of the spindle and the loom will greet the ears of the patient, long suffering, and ever hopeful residents of the pioneer city of our State. We have no doubt that when manufacturing is once begun there, the existing facilities will make the Willamette Falls the Lowell of the Pacific. We trust our neighbors will hasten their prosperity, for Portland is deeply interested in it, and will never be jealous of any success that their exertions may secure.

MODEL SENTINEL.—An anecdote is related of one of the citizen soldiers in the expedition of the McPherson Blues, against the insurgents of 1774, which is worth being recorded, as it may be of some service to some of the wealthier soldiers in our ranks. The person referred to was a German by birth, by the name of Koch, and well known in his day, as a large underwriter. He died some twenty years ago in Paris, whither he had gone for the benefit of the climate, leaving a fortune of one million dollars. Koch, then a young man, was a private in the MacPherson Blues. He fell to his lot one night to be stationed sentinel over a baggage wagon. The weather was cold, raw and wet. This set the sentinel musing. After remaining at his post half an hour, he was heard calling lustily: "Corporal of der guartz! Corporal of der guartz!" The corporal came and inquired what was wanting. Koch wished to be relieved a few moments, having something to say to MacPherson. He was gratified, and in a few moments stood in the presence of the General. "Well, Mr. Koch, what is your pleasure?" asked MacPherson. "Why, General, I wish to know what may be der value of that wagon over which I am placed as sentinel?" "How should I know, Koch?" "Well, something approximative—not to be particular." "A thousand dollars." "Well, Gen. MacPherson, I will write a chock for der money, and den I will go to bets." (bed.)

AN ELECTION INCIDENT.—A correspondent of the Troy *Times* relates an incident that happened at the polls in the second District of Nassau. A soldier who had come home from the army to see his aged parents and cast his vote, wended his way, early Thursday morning, with his father, to the polls. They were met by a brother of the old gentleman, who gave him a Democratic ticket and said, "You and I have always been Democrats—vote that ticket." The sun took from his pocket a full set of Union ballots, and read the names of all the candidates to his father—at the same time saying: "Father, I don't wish to dictate. Vote as you please. But if you did not wish my throat cut by a sword in the hands of a rebel, vote the Union ticket. If you do, then vote the Democratic ticket." He turned away from his father—leaving him to choose for himself, while the brother remarked that the only true Union ticket was the Democratic ticket. The old gentleman stood pondering for a few moments, with the tears coursing down his furrowed cheeks, and then started for the polls, where he cast a clean Union ticket. This correspondent says he saw a tear in the eyes of many bystanders.—*Utica Herald.*

THE STORMING OF MISSIONARY RIDGE.—The storming of the ridge in the great battle before Chattanooga, is thus described by an officer in a report to the war department:

The storming of the ridge by our troops was one of the greatest miracles in military history! No man, who climbs the ascent by any of the roads that wind along its front, can believe that 18,000 men were moved upon its broken and crumbling face, unless it was his fortune to witness the deed. It seems as awful as a visible interposition of God. Neither Gen. Grant nor Gen. Thomas intended it. Their orders were to carry the ride pits, along the base of the ridge, and out off their occupants, but when this was accomplished the unaccountable spirit of the troops bore them boldly up the impracticable steeps, over the bristling rifle-pits on the crest, and the thirty cannon enfilading every gully. The orders to storm appears to have been given simultaneously by Generals Sheridan and Wood, because the men were not to be held back, hopeless as the attempt appeared to military prudence. Besides, the Generals caught the inspiration of the men, and were ready themselves to undertake impossibilities.

FRAIL CHANCE.—A pious old lady, on hearing that the salvation of the country depended on the success of the Democratic party, exclaimed:

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First Hebrew Benevolent Association.—An adjourned meeting will be held at the City Council Rooms on Sunday, the 31st inst, at 2½ P. M. Members will please attend. MORITZ WALTER, Sec'y.

Harmony Lodge No. 12, F. & A. M.—Meets on 2d and 4th Mondays of each month, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. M.

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For sale a. HARRINGTON'S, 91 First st.

LOVERING'S LOAF SUGAR, in 10 lb pkgs;
STEWART'S CRUSHED
STATES and CALIFORNIA REFINED SUGAR;
For sale at HARRINGTON'S,
91 First street.

"Feed Your Cattle!"
A FULL SUPPLY OF
Bran, Middlings,
and Ground Wheat.
For sale by H. LAW,
ja6dlm 26 FRONT ST., PORTLAND.

REMOVED.
C. H. MYERS,
PLUMBER AND GAS FITTER,
HAS REMOVED TO
No. 110 First street,
Between Alder and Morrison.

Notice,
EMPIRE MARKET
Corner Washington and First sts.,
AND
PACIFIC MARKET,
No. 2, Couch's Addition.
I WILL KEEP ON HAND ALL THE
Various of
FRESH AND CURED MEATS
that the market affords, for sale at either of the above markets at Wholesale or Retail.
Give me a call, one and all, and we will try to make you all satisfied.
ja13dtf A. H. JOHNSON.

FOR ASTORIA.
The Staunch Built Fast-Running Steamer
"John H. Couch,"
CAPTAIN CHARLES HOLMAN,
Carrying the United States Mail, will leave Portland every
Monday and Friday Morning,
at 7 o'clock. Returning, will leave Astoria every TUESDAY and SATURDAY morning, at 7 o'clock, touching at Monticello and all way points.
STOCK CARRIED at Lowest Rates. n26dtf

NEW
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR!
2000 LBS IN 25 AND 50 LB SACKS,
For sale by
HENRY LAW,
ja14dlm 26 Front street, Portland.

WIBERG & STROWBRIDGE,
Have removed
From their Old Store, known as the
CITY BOOT AND SHOE STORE
to their
NEW BRICK STORE
123 FRONT STREET,
Three Doors South of the Old Stand,
Where they are prepared to supply the Trade in their line with a large and well assorted stock of
BOOTS, SHOES,
LEATHER,
AND SHOE FINDINGS.
Their stock consists of all the standard make of Boots and Shoes, including
BENEDICT'S QUILTED AND DRESS BOOTS;
GUN BOOTS;
Gents' Heavy Calf and Kip Boots;
" " Sailor Boots;
Haywards Long Top and Knee RUBBER BOOTS;
Hoyt's Kip and Calf Boots;
Youths' Kip and Calf Boots;
Children's Kip and Calf Boots;
Ladies' Misses and Children's BALMORALS;
" " " GAITERS;
" " " CALF BOOTS;
Their stock of LEATHER is large and well assorted in
HEAVY FRENCH AND AMERICAN CALF AND KIP;
OREGON
SANTA CRUZ AND OREGON SOLE LEATHER;
HARNESS SKIRTING, BELTING & RIDDLE LEATHER;
CALF, KIP, LINING, RUSSETT, SHEEP SKINS,
SHOE PINDINGS, &c.
Particular attention given to orders.
WHOLESALE ROOM UP-STAIRS.
From their long experience in the Boot, Shoe and Leather Business, their advantages in buying, and increased facilities for waiting upon their customers, W. & S. feel assured that they can do better by those who favor them with their patronage than any other house in the city.
WIBERG & STROWBRIDGE,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers,
No. 125 Front street,
Portland, August 22d, 1863. dtf Fire-Proof Brick Store.

REMOVAL.
JOHN B. MILLER
(Late Miller & Roehn,)
PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER
NEW STORE AND NEW GOODS!
IN CARTER'S BLOCK, OPPOSITE PIONEER HOTEL,
STORE ON WASHINGTON ST.,
I WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE to the citizens of Portland and the interior towns, and the country in general, that I have opened my NEW STORE, with a
Very Extensive and Well-Selected Assortment of
GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,
from the most Celebrated Makers,
CLOCKS OF VARIOUS STYLES,
DIAMONDS, JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE
All of the Latest and Most Desirable Fashions.
Particular attention given CLEANING AND REPAIRING FINE WATCHES, and satisfaction guaranteed. Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired at short notice.
Jan 18, 1864. dtf JOHN B. MILLER.

105 FIRST STREET. 105
H. HENSHEIM L. T. SCHULTE.

H. SINSHEIM & CO.,
DIRECT IMPORTERS from NEW YORK,
AND DEALERS IN
Pianos, Melodeons,
FANCY GOODS,
Stationery, &c.
Offer for sale a large assortment of
Toys, Fancy Goods, Sheet Music
and all kinds of
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
We are Agents for all the celebrated Piano and Melodeon Manufacturers of New York and Boston, and have constantly a large assortment on hand of their make, which we will sell at EASTERN PRICES.
PIANOS TUNED and REPAIRED. Old Pianos taken in exchange.
PICTURES and PICTURE FRAMES, etc, etc. d15

FAMILY FLOUR!
HAVING OVERHAULED AND THOROUGHLY REPAIRED the
PORTLAND CITY MILLS,
we can furnish FAMILY FLOUR, EQUAL TO ANY IN THE STATE.
Price per bbl, $4 25 (parties furnishing their own sacks.)
Also, keep constantly on hand
Feed of all Kinds.
BRAN, SHORTS, MIDDLINGS,
CHOPPED FEED,
BARLEY AND OATS,
CHEAP FOR CASH.
Apply at the Mill, or to
ja13d2m RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

BLACK & MACK,
DENTISTS,
No. 10 Alder street, bet. Front and First,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
HAVING THE BEST LABORATORY facilities to be found on the Pacific Coast, they will continue to make their operations excel those of any other Dentist in Oregon. They are the only Dentists in Portland who execute the Continuous Gum, Enamelled Plate, or Block Work, the only Dentists invested with a right from the American Hard Rubber Co. to insert artificial teeth on Rubber, Amber, Coralite, or any other vulcanizable compound.
Persons favoring them with their patronage may rely on their best endeavors to promote the interests of their patients. de8dtf

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s
NOTICE.
ALL Freight received this day and hereafter, until further notice, will be charged at the following rates, in gold coin or its equivalent:
Freight from Portland to Dalles.....$15 per ton
" " " Umatilla.....45 " "
" " " Wallula.....60 " "
" " " Lewiston.....90 " "
Passage from Portland to Dalles, $10, including Railroad.
" " Dalles to Umatilla & Wallula, $12 " "
" " " Lewiston, $22, including " "
Portland, June 20th 1863. tf J. C. AINSWORTH, Pres't O. S. N. Co.

Colonial Hotel,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
VICTORIA, V. I.
S. DRIARD BEGS TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS of Oregon that are in the habit of visiting Victoria, on their way to San Francisco, that he has apartments kept expressly for their accommodation during their short stay.
A RESTAURANT is attached to the Hotel, with private rooms for families.
Omnibuses leave the Hotel in time for the departure of the Steamer. ja25dtf

LOWE BROS.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND DEALERS IN
Provisions, Groceries, French Wines
LIQUORS AND HAVANA CIGARS,
No. 2 Bell Block, Wharf street,
ja25 VICTORIA, V. I. 6m

TUBS, PAILS and BASKETS for sale at
HARRINGTON'S, 91 First st.

1000 SKS BARLEY, for sale by
ja14tf RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

REMOVAL.
WALTER BROS.
HAVE REMOVED THEIR
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
CARPET AND PAPER HANGING
WAREHOUSE
—TO—
No. 113 First st.
Second Door from Harrison.
HAVING SECURED THE TWO-STORY BUILDING next to the corner of Morrison street, we beg to inform our customers, and the people in general, that we are now enabled to keep the Largest and
MOST EXTENSIVE STOCK IN THE STATE OF
CARPETS,
Paper Hangings,
FLOOR OIL CLOTHS,
CHINA MATTINGS
WINDOW SHADES of all descriptions,
DAMASKS,
LACE CURTAINS,
CORNICES,
CURTAIN BANDS AND LOOPS.
HOLLANDS, Green and Buff, of all widths,
TABLE OIL CLOTHS AND COVERS,
CURTAIN and FURNITURE GIMPS,
PICTURE CORDS AND NAILS,
and all kinds of
PICTURE AND LOOKING-GLASS TRIMMINGS.
Springs, Mattrass and Ticking Twine.
Also, the LARGEST ASSORTMENT of
GILT & ROSEWOOD MOLDINGS,
Picture Frames,
&c., &c., &c.
IMPORTING ALL OUR GOODS DIRECT FROM THE EAST, we are enabled to sell at
San Francisco Wholesale Prices.
Persons would find it to their interest to EXAMINE OUR STOCK before purchasing.
CARPETS SEWED AND LAID
and all styles of
DRAPERY WORK
SYSTEMATICALLY EXECUTED BY
WALTER BROS.,
No. 113 FRONT STREET,
Nearly Opposite Vaughn's Wharf
ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY will receive our prompt attention. de8dtf

EMIL LOWENSTEIN & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
FURNITURE!
SUCH AS
ROSEWOOD AND MAHOGANY
PARLOR SETS:
ROSEWOOD AND MAHOGANY
CHAMBER SETS:
ROSEWOOD AND MAHOGANY
DINING ROOM FURNITURE!
FINE MARBLE TOP
Centre Tables.
FINE MARBLE TOP
SIDEBOARDS,
and Manufacturers of all kinds of
MATTRASSES.
BEG LEAVE TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT THEY are now opening in their
NEW STORE, 138 FIRST ST.,
THE LARGEST AND MOST EXTENSIVE STOCK OF
FURNITURE,
Which they are enabled to sell at such LOW PRICES as to
Defy Competition.
A LARGE SUPPLY OF CASE GOODS FOR TRADERS constantly on hand, and all orders promptly attended to.
RECEIVED ON LAST STEAMER
A Nice Assortment of Goods,
suitable for
Christmas Presents.
CALL AND EXAMINE before purchasing elsewhere.
Portland, Dec. 23d, 1863.

FIRST PREMIUM
FAMILY SEWING MACHINE!
THE FIRST PREMIUM WAS AWARDED THE
Grover & Baker
FAMILY
SEWING MACHINE
AT THE
Oregon State Fair,
SALEM, SEPT. 16TH, 1863.
PERMANENT AGENCY ESTABLISHED IN OREGON.
Machine sold at San Francisco prices
FIRST PREMIUMS HAVE BEEN AWARDED
the Grover & Baker
At every State Fair in the United States in 1861, 1862 and 1863, when exhibited in competition with other Machines.
Their Superiority is Undeniable.
An examination only is needed
NO OTHER MACHINE EMBROIDERS.
It Sews from Common Spools;
It has no Bobbins to fill;
It has no troublesome brush or pad;
It is more Simple than any other.
CALL AND EXAMINE THEM.
and Specimens of EMBROIDERY and BRAIDING.
J. W. F. PIERSON, Agent,
Removed to cor. Front & Washington sts.
Opposite Pioneer Hotel, Front street, Portland
November 16, 1863 dtf

Dissolution Notice.
THE PUBLIC are hereby notified that the co-partnership heretofore existing between John B. Miller and Chas. F. Kuehn is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the firm will be collected by C. F. Kuehn, and all indebtedness will be paid by John B. Miller.
JOHN B. MILLER,
Portland, Jan 13th, 1864. CHAS. F. KUEHN.

Wanted.
$10,000 LEGAL TENDERS, OR Orders payable in New York, at
ja8dlm CHARLES BARRETT'S.

BUTTER! BUTTER!
AN EXTRA CHOICE LOT OF OREGON BUTTER, in packages and to arrive.
Also a superior lot of NEW ISTHMUS BUTTER, for sale by
RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

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Ode to Winter.

Old—yet thou goest, Old Winter! I make bold
(While others praise those) to declare the truth;
Thou art a tyrant without Christian rule,
Capricious, cruel, and "confounded cold!"

Thou art a blustering, blistering, bullying wight;
A footpad, entering every cottage door,
Borne by the rich and hated by the poor—
A very rascal in a cloak of white!

Thou fliest the farmer with foreboding fears;
Thou bitest sharply at the schoolboy's toes;
Thou reddenest e'en the daintiest lady's nose,
And pinchest rudely everybody's ears!

Thou comest rime without the slightest reason:
Unless it be to raise the price of coal.
And, hoarser as thou wilt, upon my soul,
Thou art a most unreasonable season.

—Sun.

Growler's Income Tax.

BY T. S. ARTHUR.

My neighbor Growler, an excitable man, by the way, was particularly excited over his "Income Tax," or, as he called it, his "War Tax." He had never liked the war—thought it unnecessary and wicked; the work of politicians. This fighting of brother against brother was a terrible thing in his eyes. If you asked him who began the war?—who struck at the nation's life?—if self-defence were not a duty?—he would reply with vague generalities, made up of partisan tricky sentences, which he had learned without comprehending their significance.

"There it is! Just so much robbery! Stand and deliver, is the word. Pistols and bayonets! Your money or your life!"

I took the piece of paper from his hand and read:

PHILADELPHIA, September, 1863.

"RICHARD GROWLER, Esq.,
No. 1000 N. BILEY.

"*Collector of Internal Revenue for the Fourth District Pennsylvania. Office 421 Chestnut Street.*

"For Tax on Income, for the year 1862, as per return made to this Assessor of the District.....$43 21

"Received payment.
"JOHN M. BILEY, COLLECTOR."

"You're all right," I said, smiling.

"I'd like to know what you mean by all right?" Growler was just a little offended at my way of treating this very serious matter—serious in his eyes, I mean. "I've been robbed of forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents," he continued. "Do you say that is all right? A minion of the Government has put his hand into my pocket and taken out just so much of my property. Is that all right?"

"The same thing may be set forth in very different language," I replied. "Let me state the case."

"Very well, state it!" said Growler dumping himself into a chair, and looking as ill-humored as possible.

"Instead of being robbed," said I, "you have been protected in your property and person, and guaranteed all the high privileges of citizenship, for the paltry sum of forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents as your share of the cost of protection."

"Oh, that's only your way of putting the case," retorted Growler, dropping a little from his tone of indignation.

"Let me be more particular in my way of putting the case. Your income is from the rent of property?"

"Yes."

"What would it have cost you to defend that property from the army of General Lee, recently driven from our State by national soldiers?"

"Cost me!" Growler looked at me in a kind of maze, as though he thought me half in jest.

"Exactly! What would it have cost you? Lee, if unopposed, would certainly have reached this city, and held it; and if your property had been of use to him or any of his officers or soldiers, it would have been appropriated without as much as saying—'By your leave, sir?' Would forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents have covered the damages? Perhaps not. Possibly, you might have lost from one-half to three-fourths of all that you are worth."

Growler was a trifle bewildered at this way of putting the case. He looked puzzled.

"You have a store on South Wharves?" said I.

"Yes."

"What has kept the *Alabama* or the *Florida* from running up the Delaware and burning the whole city front? Do you have forts and ships of war for the protection of your property? If not, who provides them? They are provided and you are safe. What is your share of the expense for a whole year? Just forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents. It sounds like a jest!"

Growler did not answer; so I kept on.

"But for our immense armies in the field, and navy on the water, this rebellion would have succeeded. What then? Have you ever pondered the future of this country in such an event? Have you thought of your own position? of the loss or gain to yourself? How long do you think we could be at peace with England or France, if the nation were dismembered, and a hostile Confederation established on our Southern border? Would our war taxes be less than now? Would life and property be more secure? Have you not an interest in our army and navy, as well as I and every other member of the Union? Does not your safety as well as mine lie in their existence? Are they not, at this very time, the conservators of everything we hold dear as men and citizens? Who equips and pays this army? Who builds and furnishes these ships? Where does the enormous sums of money required come from? It is the nation's work—the people aggregated into power and magnificence, and so irresistible in might—unconquerable. Have you no heart-swellings of pride in this magnificent exhibition of will and strength? No part in the nation's glory? No eager helping hand to stretch forth?"

Growler was silent still.

"There was no power in you or me to check the wave of destruction that was launched by fratricidal hands against us. If unresisted, by the nation, as an aggregate power, it would have swept in desolation over the whole land. Traitors in our midst, and traitors moving in arms against us, would have united to destroy our beautiful fabric of civil liberty. The Government, which dealt with all good citizens so kindly and gently, that not one in a thousand felt its touch beyond the weight of a feather, would have been subverted; and who can tell under what iron rule we might have fallen for a time, for how many years of bloody strife would have elapsed before that civil liberty which insures the greatest good to the greatest number would have been established? But the wave of destruction was met—met and hurled back upon the enemies who sought our ruin. We yet dwell in safety. Your property is secure. You still gather your annual income, protected in all your rights and privileges by the national arm. And what does the nation assess to you as your share in the cost of this security? Half your property? No—not a farthing of that property! Only a small per centage of your income from that property! *Just forty-three dollars and twenty-one cents!* Pardon me for saying it, friend Growler, but I am more than half ashamed of you."

"And seeing the way you put the case, I am more than half ashamed of myself," he answered frankly. "Why taking your view, this is about the cheapest investment I ever made."

"You certainly get more for your money than in any other line of expenditure. Yesterday I had a letter from an old friend living in the neighborhood of Carlisle. The rebels took from him six fine horses, worth two hundred dollars a piece, six cows and oxen, and over two hundred bushels of grain. And not content with plundering him, they burnt down a barn, which had cost him nearly two thousand dollars. But for the army raised and equipped by the nation, its support of which you and I are taxed so lightly, we might have suffered as severely. How much do you think it costs in money for the protection we have enjoyed in this particular instance?"

"A million of dollars, perhaps!"

"Nearer ten millions of dollars. From the time our army left the Rappahannock, until the battle of Gettysburg, its cost to the government could scarcely have been less than the sum I have mentioned. Of this sum your proportion cannot be over three or four dollars; and for that trifle your property, may be your life, was held secure."

"No more of that, if you please," said Growler, showing some annoyance. "You are running the thing into the ground. I own up square. I was quarreling with my best friend. I was striking at the hand that gave me protection. If my war tax next year should be a hundred dollars instead of forty-three, I will pay it without a murmur."

"Don't say without a murmur, friend Growler."

"What then?"

"Say gladly, as a means of safety."

"Put it as you will," he answered, folding up Collector Riley's receipt, which he still held in his hand, and bowing himself out.

Not many days afterwards, I happened to hear some one grumbling in my neighbor's presence about his income tax. Growler seated to hear him through. My lesson was improved in his hands. In significant phrase he "pitched into" the offender, and read him a lecture so much stronger than mine, that I felt myself thrown quite in the shade.

"You have been assessed fifty eight dollars," he said, in his excited way—"fifty-eight dollars! One would think from the noise you make about it, that you had been robbed of half you were worth. Fifty-eight dollars for security at home, and protection abroad! Fifty-eight dollars as your share of the cost of defense against an enemy that, if unopposed will desolate our homes and destroy our government! Already it has cost the nation for your safety and mine over a thousand millions of dollars, and you are angry because asked for your little part of the expense. Sir, you are not worthy the name of an American citizen!"

"That's sharp talk, and I won't bear it," said the other.

"It's true talk, and you'll have to bear it!" was retorted. "Fretting over the mean little sum of fifty eight dollars! Why sir, I know a man who has given his right arm to this cause, and another who has given his right leg. Do they grumble? No sir! I never heard a word of complaint from their lips. Thousands and tens of thousands have given their lives, that you and I might dwell in safety. I know mothers who have given their sons, and wives who have given their husbands—sons and husbands, who will never more return! They are with the dead, sir, you are dishonoring in the eyes of all men. A grumbler over the paltry war tax—for shame!"

I turned off, saying in my thought:

So much good done by My reclaimed sinners lins become a preacher of righteousness.—*N. Y. Ledger.*

ABOUT BEES.—A. J. Bigelow, a large importer of Italian bees, and who has an apiary on the Sacramento river, has the following on the subject:

There have been but very few swarms of bees changed hands during the past year throughout the State. Those few have been sold at prices ranging from $15 to $25 per swarm. The rage for speculation in bees has passed, and those that keep them now keep them for the purpose of making honey. The past season has been what the apiarians call a bad season for bees. They gathered very little honey during the fore part of the year, and consequently their threw off only a very few swarms. In some parts of the State they starved. In the months of August, September and October they gathered a good deal of honey, particularly those in the valleys bordering on the rivers, but the stock of good surplus honey in good shape is very limited—the price having ranged from twenty to thirty cents per pound; poorer quality, or in bad shape a little less and extra nice, some more than thirty cents; ranging from five to ten cents per pound more than last year. The past two years has pretty clearly proved that honey can be produced in this State in large quantities, and a good quality, making the business of propagating bees for the purpose of producing honey, a profitable and reliable business, more certain of success here than in the Eastern States.

WORTH TRYING FOR.—Oh, whistle, daughter, whistle, and you shall have a cow. I never whistled in my life, and I cannot whistle now. Oh, whistle, daughter, whistle, and you shall have a man. I never whistled in my life, but I'll whistle if I can.

SUPPOSED TO BE LOST.—Mr. George Coupe and another man, whose name we have not learned, left Coupville last week in a plunger, bound for Utsladdy, and nothing has been since heard of them or the boat. They are supposed to have been drowned.—*Seattle Gazette.*

NEW ROAD
From Portland to Dalles City.

THE ROAD IS CUT OUT, AND WORKED FROM Portland to Dog River, except three miles, which is the best part of the Old Trail, below the Cascades. A GOOD FERRY ON DOG RIVER, and one on Sandy River.

Rates of Toll:

Each Horse, Mule or Jack.....50 cents
Man.....50 "
Head of Cattle over one year old.....50 "
" Sheep.....10 "

Tickets sold at the Ferries. NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR FERRYING. A ticket at the above prices is the only charge on the Road.

JOEL PALMER, President
Columbia River Road Company.
J. J. HOFFMAN, Sec'y.

JOHN P. MILLER,
JOEL PALMER,
A. C. GIBBS,
Directors.
jn30dawtf

Dec 2d, 1863.

To The Public.

I WOULD HEREBY CALL THE ATTENtion of the public to the fact that on the first of May, 1864, they will be called upon by the United States Assessors to make statement of income for the year 1863, and in order to make up their accounts for said year, it would be well for every one to form in their memory, and be ready to make statement when called upon by the Assessor.

Under the ruling of the Commissioners of Internal Revenue, persons can only deduct expenses for repairs actually from the amount received from the same property on which such expenditure have been made. For instance—a person who receives $500 for rents, he can use of this amount only that is necessary to repair such property from which such rents were derived; the same rule applies to steam-boats, saw-mills, and other like properties. But all moneys derived from interest on notes, Bonds, Mortgages, and from dividends, must be returned as income, although a portion of the whole has been expended in repairing buildings, steamboats, etc.

If persons will prepare their accounts and statements showing amounts received and the sums drawn therefrom, as received, amount expended, and for what purposes, then with the forms and blanks which I will be furnished them by the Assessor, a correct return can be made.

Oregon Statesman and *Mountaineer* please copy.

THOS. FRAZAR, U. S. Assessor for Oregon.
Portland, Dec. 31st, 1863. (wn7)

BUCHTEL & CARDWELL'S
PICTURES ARE THE BEST IN OREGON

NEW GOODS
FOR THE
HOLIDAYS!
—AT—
HARKER BROS.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
DRY-GOODS,
LADIES' DRESS GOODS,
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
Ladies' Cloaks,
&c., &c., &c.,

Are now receiving, direct from the Manufacturers,

The Finest and Best Assortment
—OF—
GENTS', BOYS' AND YOUTHS'
Fine Custom-Made Clothing,

ever offered to the citizens of Portland consisting in part as follows:

Gents' Superfine Blue Brown and Black
FROCK COATS.
BUSINESS SUITS—
Of the LATEST BROADWAY CUT.
NEW STYLE
CAPE OVERCOATS,
Extra Fine and Heavy
FUR-TRIMMED FROCK OVERCOATS
Extra Heavy
CHINCHILLA FROCK OVERCOATS.
Black and Fancy
FRENCH DOESKIN PANTS.
Boys' & Youths' Cape Overcoats,
And TALMAS in Great Variety.
Gents' Superfine Black and Fancy
SILK VELVET VESTS.

Davis & Jones, Atkinson's, and Morrison, Harris & Co.'s
SHIRTS.

TRUNKS, VALISES, CARPET BAGS.

Boots and Shoes, &c.

We have also a LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK of
GROCERIES,

To which we invite the attention of all buyers, consisting partly as follows:

RIO, JAVA, MARELLA and COSTA RICA COFFEE,
San Francisco refined COFFEE SUGAR,
Sandwich Island "
New Orleans "
Crushed and Batavia "
No. 1 China "
EAST BOSTON and GOLDEN SYRUP,
YOUNG HYSON, BLACK, and JAPAN TEA,
SALERATUS, SODA, TOBACCO, SPICES, &c,
All of which will be offered either at

Wholesale or Retail,

At a VERY SMALL ADVANCE on San Francisco Cost.

☞ REMEMBER, WE HAVE BUT ONE PRICE for our Goods, and the little child can buy just as cheap as the most experienced merchant.

HARKER BROS.

Portland, Dec. 9th, 1863. d

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IRON WORKS

E. L. JONES, A. C. GIBBS, JOHN NATION.

E. L. JONES & CO.,

SUPERIOR KIND OF
HORSE-POWERS,
on hand and made to order.

☞ Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere.

We are also making the celebrated
Union Reapers!
and are prepared to REPAIR ALL KINDS OF REAPERS and MOWERS on short notice.

STEAM ENGINES
MADE AND REPAIRED.

All kinds of Mills made to order.

We have on hand and are manufacturing a new and superior style of
Cooking Ranges
FOR HOTELS AND FAMILIES.

The pieces of the Ranges can be saved in wood and labor in a short time. They are cast in sections and can be easily taken to the interior, and put up with stone, clay or brick.

BRASS WORK and BABBITT'S METAL furnished to order.

We keep constantly on hand.
HOISTING MACHINES FOR STORES.
A sample can be seen in use at SAVIER & CO'S store.
We are prepared to do
All Kinds of Work
usually done in a
FIRST-CLASS FOUNDRY and Machine Shop.

We have recently purchased a large lot of Patterns, which will be FREE to those who patronize the shop.

25 Tons No. 1 Scotch Pig Iron,
Just received direct from New York; and we defy competition in PRICE OR QUALITY OF CASTINGS.

E. L. JONES & CO.
Portland, August 1st, 1863. dawtf

Claims of all Kinds
AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.
COLLECTED BY
C. M. CARTER,

Who leaves for Washington on the 15th of January next, to return in a short time.

All persons having unsettled claims in the Auditor's Office for one or two years, may expect an early payment thereof by empowering him to collect the same.

Hon. L. F. GROVER, of Portland, Oregon, is his authorized Agent, to receive and forward claims to him at Washington, D C

jn16dtf OFFICE NO. 102 FRONT ST., Portland.

Commission & Purchasing Agent
SAN FRANCISCO,

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BY VIRTUE of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, and to me directed, in favor of B. Q. Tucker, against John Mead, for $443 20, judgment, for want of personal property I have levied upon all the right and title of said John Mead, to lot one in block one hundred and nineteen in the city of Portland, Oregon. Notice is given that I shall proceed to sell the above described real estate at public vendue in front of the Court House door, on Saturday, the 6th day of February, 1864, to satisfy the sum of three hundred and forty-three dollars and twenty cents, with interest thereon at ten per cent. per annum, from the 11th of November, 1863, together with costs, disbursements, and expenses of sale.

Sale to take place at 11 o'clock A. M.

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Jan. 7, 1864.

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One who has served a regular apprenticeship at the business, I will furnish all ordinary Patterns used at my Foundry,
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I have the Largest Stock of Patterns, of all varieties, on this coast.

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Go and see them, and
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EXTRACT BUCHU,
A POSITIVE AND SPECIFIC REMEDY
FOR DISEASES OF THE
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This Medicine increases the power of DIGESTION and excites the ASSIMILATIVE into healthy action, by which the WATERY or CALCULOUS deposition, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS are reduced, as well as PAIN and INFLAMMATION, and is good for

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For Weakness arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuse,

ATTENDED WITH THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS:

Indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Memory, Weak Nerves, Horror of Disease, Dimness of Vision, Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System, Hot Hands, Dryness of the Skin, Eruptions on the Face, Pallid Countenance.

These symptoms if allowed to go on, which the medicine invariably removes, soon follows

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IN ONE OF WHICH THE PATIENT MAY EXPIRE.

Who can say that they are not frequently followed by those "direful diseases,"

"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION,"

Many are aware of the cause of their suffering, but NONE WILL CONFESS

THE RECORDS OF THE INSANE ASYLUMS,

And the melancholy deaths, by Consumption bear ample witness to the truth of the assertion that

THE CONSTITUTION,
once affected by Organic Weakness,
Requires the Aid of Medicine,
to strengthen and invigorate the system, which
HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU
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A Trial will Convince the most Skeptical.

FEMALES! FEMALES!! FEMALES!!!
OLD OR YOUNG,
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IN MANY AFFECTIONS PECULIAR TO FEMALES, the Extract of Buchu is unequalled by any other remedy as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularities, Painfulness, or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulceration or Schirrous state of the Uterus, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incidental to the sex, whether arising from Indiscretion, Habits of Dissipation, or the

DECLINE OR CHANGE OF LIFE!
(See symptoms above.)

No Family should be without it.

TAKE NO MORE BALSAM, MERCURY, OR UNPLEASANT MEDICINE FOR UNPLEASANT AND DANGEROUS DISEASES.

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CURES SECRET DISEASES,
In all their Stages: At Little Expense.
Little or no Change in Diet; No inconvenience
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It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to the Urinate, thereby Removing Obstructions, preventing and curing Strictures of the Urethra, allaying Pain and Inflammation, so frequent in the case of Diseases, and expelling all Poisonous, diseased and worn out matter.

THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS
Who have been the victims of Quacks
and who have paid heavy fees to be cured in a short time, have found they were deceived, and that the POISON has, by the use of "Powerful Astringents," been dried up in the system, to break out in a more aggravated form, and perhaps after marriage.

Use Helmbold's Extract Buchu
For all Affections and Diseases of the URINARY ORGANS, whether existing in MALE OR FEMALE, from whatever cause originating, and

NO MATTER OF HOW LONG STANDING.

Diseases of these Organs require the aid of a Diuretic.

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And it is certain to have the desired effect in Diseases for which it is recommended.

Evidence
of the most Responsible and reliable character will accompany the medicines.

Certificates of Cures
From Eight to Twenty Years standing, with names known to Science and fame.

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To make no "secret" of the ingredients. HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU is composed of Buchu, Cubebs, Juniper Berries, selected with great care by a competent Druggist. Prepared in vacuo, by H. T. HELMBOLD, Practical and Analytical Chemist, and Sole Manufacturer of

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Personally appeared before me, an Alderman of the city of Philadelphia, H. T. HELMBOLD, who being duly sworn, doth say his preparations contain no narcotic, no mercury, or other injurious drugs, but are purely vegetable.

H. T. HELMBOLD.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 2nd day of November, 1854.

WM. F. HERRING,
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They will cure the above complaints, arising from the use of Mercury, Minerals, Poisons in the Blood, Exposure, Habits of Dissipation, Sedentary Habits, Change of Climate, Diseases of Females, Fevers of all types, Yellow Fever, Bilious Fever, Intermittent Fever, Dumb Ague, Fever and Ague, Typhus Fever, Scarlet Fever, Measles, Erysipelas, Small Pox, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Consumption in its first stages, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the Side, Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Tic Doloreux, Epilepsy or Fits, St. Vitus' Dance, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Low Spirits, Hypochondria, Blues, Mercurial Diseases, Salt Rheum, Scurvy, Ringworm, Tetter, Scald Head, Ulcers, Old Sores, Scrofula in all its forms, Diseases of the Skin of all kinds, Boils, Carbuncles, Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Pain in the Chest, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Gravel, Diseases of the Bladder, Kidneys, Female Complaints, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Incontinence of Urine, Involuntary Discharges, Wasting of the Organs, Sterility, Impotency, Nervous Irritability, Hysterics, Pain in the Back, Dizziness, Sick Headache, Nervous Prostration, Nervous Headache, Diseases of the Head, Neuralgia of the Face, Universal Lassitude of the System, Pain in the Limbs, Sinking Spells, Diseases of the Blood, Affections of the Throat, Nose and Mouth, Secondary Symptoms, Syphilis, Mercurial Disease, Affections of the Bones, Joints and Limbs, Constitutional Debility, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Jaundice, Chronic or Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Kidneys, all diseases arising from a disordered Liver or Stomach.

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Yours, with respect,
REV. JOHN G. MORRIS,
Pastor of the First Lutheran Church, Baltimore.

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Dear Sir: I have used Hoofland's German Bitters in my family, and find them a good tonic, useful in cases of debility and want of appetite. Yours, with respect,
JACOB ULRICH.

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Yours, truly,
JOHN KENNEDY.

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I have frequently prescribed Hoofland's German Bitters in my practice, and have always found them to produce the happiest effects when the patient was laboring under debility of the digestive organs, or general prostration of the system. I consider them a safe and valuable preparation.

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